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## MEMORANDUM FOR ALL MILITARY AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

SUBJECT: Commanding General's Policy Memorandum No. 6 - Safety

- 1. As the Senior Commander for the United States Army Signal Center of Excellence and Fort Gordon, I am the Safety Officer for this installation. It is my responsibility to set the safety priorities for the mission and garrison activities conducted on Fort Gordon.
- 2. Commanders, supervisors, and managers are responsible for ensuring a safe working and living environment for our Soldiers, employees, and their Families. I will accept nothing less than the direct and personal involvement of all leaders in the installation safety program. The rewards of an organizational safety program are great, especially when they support the whole mission. However, commander, supervisor, and employee failures of not being directly involved in safety are devastating and will not be accepted.
- 3. In our day-to-day routines, our success is centered on how well we accomplish the fundamentals. Risk management is fundamental to success in all of our operations, ranging from systems development, training, deployments, and recreation. The greatest killer of our personnel is driving privately owned vehicles, both on and off duty. It can be avoided with Risk Management.
- 4. In order for us to be successful, I have directed the Senior Safety Director to establish, manage and coordinate with the Installation Safety Office to execute my safety program across all activities. All units at Fort Gordon and The Gillem Enclave will ensure the Installation Safety Office is aware of any and all safety related issues. Use them to the fullest extent possible.
- 5. We all are responsible to protect our greatest asset The American Soldier, Sailor, Airmen, Marine, Civilian, and their Families. I want everyone engaged Take charge at home and work. Be safe!

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This memorandum supersedes Commanding General's Policy Memorandum No. 6 – Safety, dated 31 May 2011.